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TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(f))	minus 20 =	
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APPLICATION SIZE FEE
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MULTIPLE/DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(j))

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AMENDMENT A

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FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE/DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(m))

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SMALL ENTITY

OR

RATE (\$)	FEES (\$)
N/A	
N/A	
N/A	
X 25 =	
X 10.5 =	

185

TOTAL

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

OR

RATE (\$)	FEES (\$)
N/A	
N/A	
N/A	
X 50 =	
X 210 =	

370

TOTAL

SMALL ENTITY

OR

RATE (\$)	ADDITIONAL FEE (\$)
X 25 =	
X 10.5 =	
185	

TOTAL ADD'L FEE

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

OR

RATE (\$)	ADDITIONAL FEE (\$)
X 50 =	
X 210 =	220
370	N/A

TOTAL ADD'L FEE

220

SMALL ENTITY

OR

RATE (\$)	ADDITIONAL FEE (\$)
X 25 =	
X 10.5 =	
185	

TOTAL ADD'L FEE

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY

OR

RATE (\$)	ADDITIONAL FEE (\$)
X 50 =	
X 210 =	220
370	N/A

TOTAL ADD'L FEE

220

AMENDMENT B

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